

British Push Opposing German Forces Back Ten Miles

Engaged, but hundreds of thousands are participating on both sides; according to those in position to observe and verify information, the Germans have been reported that the Germans have requested an armistice of twenty-four hours. The armistice was refused with the response: "We grant you that time to get out of France."

An official communication issued by the War Office shows that the German army has suffered defeat before the allies, has lost all its sternest resistance, achieving several successes but unsuccessful counter-attacks.

The fighting to-day extended along both the Oise and Marne Rivers. In the latter region the British forces have engaged in a strong offensive by inundating country.

The progress to-day, the allies has been considerably advanced. In the centre of the allied line, several heroic encounters have occurred, the two opposing forces ending the day with varying fortunes, which, however, are regarded as more favourable to the allies than to the adversaries.

ALLIES GAIN GROUND

ON THEIR LEFT

LONDON, September 8.—(11:55 P. M.)—The British official press bureau issued the following announcement to-day:

The general position continues satisfactory. The allies are gaining ground on their left, along the line of the Oise and Petit Morin Rivers. The British have driven the enemy back ten miles.

Fighting has been in progress further to the right along the line which extends from the Marne to the Aisne, neither side gaining advantage.

Further to the right again, from Vitry-le-François to Sézanne, the allies, the enemy has been pressed back in the direction of Rheims.

At Laonville, an attempt by the Germans to advance has been repelled. A press release against the enemy claims that the British had also suffered, but the British force has been engaged all day, but the enemy opposed to it after stubborn resistance, retired and is now fleeing to the north of the Marne.

While the French army has advanced with equal success and reports many captures.

The sixth French army, on the Marne, has been heavily engaged, but here also the enemy has been driven back.

The German army has suffered severely along the whole line, the allies having been resolutely pushed home.

The British force again has sustained some casualties, but the number is small in relation to the nature of the fighting.

The result of the two days' operations up to the present is very satisfactory.

UNSUCCESSFUL ATTACKS MADE BY GERMANS

PARIS, September 8.—(11:55 P. M.)—An official communication issued to-night by the French War Office says:

"The left wing of the German forces, in their movement of retreat, having crossed the Petit Morin River, with a view to protecting their communications, has made violent but unsuccessful attacks against that part of our forces occupying the right bank of the River Oise."

"Our English allies are continuing their offensive tactics in the direction of the Marne, on the heights to the north of Sézanne, and are progressing favourably though laboriously."

"On our right wing the situation is good before Nancy and in the Vosges. A severe engagement has been fought in the centre, with an alternative advancing and falling back."

FEELING IS MORE CHEERFUL

INCREASING OPTIMISM APPEARS TO BE DEVELOPING IN COTTON TRADE.

NEW YORK, September 8.—(11:55 P. M.)—A more cheerful feeling appeared to be developing in the cotton trade to-day. Prices were up, and the price of cotton reflected an optimistic view of the European situation and increasing hope of an early settlement of the war, but beyond such considerations, the small ginning returns to September 1, suggested determined holding in the seed, as well as bad weather during August, and there were also signs of an improving market for staple products. Local spot markets showed some improvement developed toward the end of last week, and that domestic mills had also been rather better buyers, while it was claimed that firm offers from the Southwest were about 3-15 cent higher than they were last Friday. Most of the local firms having open contracts are reported to have promptly marqued them up to reflect the price rises.

Henry C. Miller, president of the New York Liverpool Standard, and the committee announces that it is now ready to begin executing orders in accordance with the plan approved by members of the exchange last week.

SMALL FORCE TAKES RHEIMS

SIX OFFICERS AND SEVEN PRIVATES IN "ARMY OF OCCUPATION."

WASHINGTON, September 8.—Rheims was occupied on September 7 by a small German patrol consisting of six officers and seven privates, says a reliable reporter from Berlin to the German embassy here.

Mr. Schaefferer, who is correspondent of the Deutsche Pressezeitung, writes that when still doubtful whether the fort was occupied, the message continues: "Captain von Hünbachers' 500 patrol between the forts, rode into the town hall, took formal possession of the city, made the Mayor a host, saw for the proper behavior of the inhabitants, and then awaited the arrival of the German brigade on August 30."

TO SAVE WORKS OF ART

WASHINGTON, September 8.—President William Taft, under consideration of a suggestion from Ambassador Alice Roosevelt, of the United States, to the German embassy here, has given the powers in Berlin authority to have their arms removed from buildings and works of art of international property.

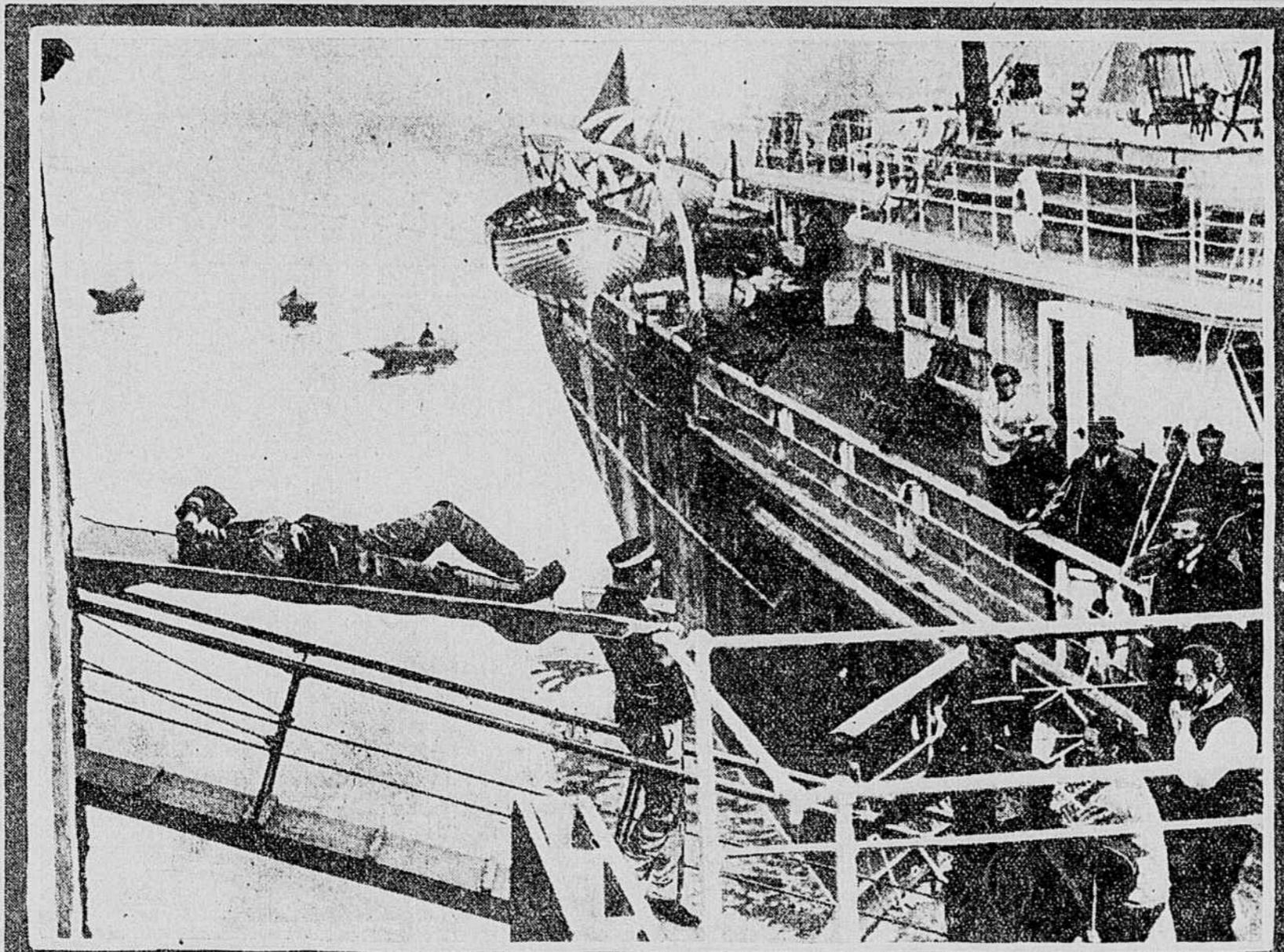
Unpublished Poem on War by Tennyson

LONDON, September 8 (11:55 P. M.)—Lord Tennyson, son of the poet, at a patriotic meeting last night, read the following litho-type unpublished poem of his father:

"Oh, what is he, the simple tool,
Who does that, whereforever?
What blood stains his robes there,
Across the Straits of Dover?
Are you ready, Britons, all,
To answer yes with thunder?
And, And, And!"

Nine hundred thousand staves in arms
They seek to bring us under—
But England lives and still will live—
For we'll crush the despot yonder—
And, And, And!"

Mr. Tennyson reads, Britons, all,
To answer yes with thunder—
And, And, And!"



TWO WOUNDED UHLAN TAKEN ON BOARD BELGIAN HOSPITAL SHIP PRINCESS CLEMENTINE AT OSTEIN

FUNERAL TO-MORROW OF DR. ANDREW ROBERTSON

WELL-KNOWN CHEMIST DIES AT GROVE AVENUE HOME AFTER ILLNESS OF SEVERAL YEARS.

Funeral services for Dr. Andrew Robertson, who died at his home, 2006 Grove Avenue, yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock, will take place to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

Dr. Robertson, who was a member of the firm of Froehling & Robertson, chemists, had been in ill health for many years, and during the past two years his condition steadily grew worse.

Besides his wife, who was Miss Ella Manners of Kilmarnock, Scotland, Dr. Robertson leaves three children, as follows: Miss Isobel Robertson, Miss Catherine Robertson, and Allister Robertson. He is survived by his parents and several sisters, who live in Scotland, and one brother, Alexander Robertson, of this city.

Mr. Robertson was a native of Scotland, having been born in Kilmarnock in 1878. He received an education abroad and came to the United States sixteen years ago and entered upon his profession as a chemist. With Henry Froehling, he formed the partnership in which he continued until the time of his death. He won the reputation as one of the best analysts in the country, and was looked upon as an authority on matters pertaining to his profession.

Dr. Robertson was a member of the American Chemical, the American Society of Chemists, the American Society of Testing Materials and the Virginia Chemist's Club. He was a prominent member of Westminster Church, being an elder and a member of several important committees.

UNDER CLOSE SURVEILLANCE

AMERICAN NEWSPAPER MEN DETAINED BY GERMAN MILITARY AUTHORITIES.

NEW YORK, September 8.—The Associated Press, in respect of prisoners under its care, says that four American newspaper correspondents are under detention by the German military authorities at Aix-la-Chapelle, one of the German military bases in the north. They are Goers Lewis, of the Associated Press; Irvin S. Cobb, of the Philadelphia Public Ledger; John T. McElroy, and James O'Donnell Bennett, of the Chicago Tribune, and Harry Hanson, of the Chicago Daily News.

The men are not in confinement, and are being well treated. They are, however, under close surveillance, and are not permitted to leave the city, nor to receive visitors, nor to receive news because they have been with the German troops. The correspondents were placed under detention on August 26 at some unknown place, and were taken to Aix-la-Chapelle on August 30.

DEATHS

CLAYTON. Died, Tuesday morning at 8:30 A. M., his residence, 2001 Main Street, South Richmond, Robert J. CLAYTON, aged 67, after a year of illness. He leaves besides a widow, two daughters, Mrs. O. H. Good and Mrs. M. W. Riddell, and one granddaughter, Mrs. E. L. Harlow.

Funeral THURSDAY at 1 P. M. from the residence. By request, no flowers.

HARRIS. Died, after brief illness September 8, 1914, at his residence, 104 West Madison Street, MARY L. HARRIS, adopted daughter of J. W. and M. E. Thompson.

Funeral THURSDAY 2:30 P. M. Emanuel Baptist Church.

ROBERTSON. Died at his home, 2006 Grove Avenue, Tuesday morning at 7:30 A. M. ANDREW ROBERTSON, aged 57, of the firm of Froehling & Robertson, service in Westminster Presbyterian Church, Davis and Park Avenue, THURSDAY at 1 P. M. Friends invited.

WINSTON. Died at his home, 2006 Grove Avenue, Tuesday morning at 7:30 A. M. BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE EIGHTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his eighth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

NO, WHO'S HE, THE SIMPLE TOOL,
WHO DOES THAT, WHEREFOREVER?
WHAT BLOOD STAINS HIS ROBES THERE,
ACROSS THE STRAITS OF DOVER?
ARE YOU READY, BRITONS, ALL,
TO ANSWER YES WITH THUNDER?
AND, AND, AND!"

THE NINETH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his ninth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE TENTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his tenth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE ELEVENTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his eleventh year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE TWELFTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his twelfth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE THIRTEENTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his thirteenth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE FOURTEENTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his fourteenth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE FIFTEENTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his fifteenth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE SIXTEENTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his sixteenth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE SEVENTEENTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his seventeenth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE EIGHTEENTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his eighteenth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE NINETEENTH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his nineteenth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville, Mrs. Frank Chidwick and Misses Kate, Mary and Basley Winston, all of Louisville.

THE TWENTIETH HIS BELOVED DEEP

WINSTON.—Died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29, 1914, in his twentieth year, third year of his age, BENJAMIN C. WINSTON, son of Dennis S. and Matilda Franklin Winston. He was struck with a piece of timber at a saw mill and took a severe blow on his physician who thought to be only slightly injured. He grew worse, and the next day peritonitis developed. He was admitted to the University Hospital in Charlotteville, but died of a heart attack before reaching Gordonsville. His remains were taken to his father's home in Gordonsville, where he was buried on Saturday, August 29. His mother, Mrs. Dennis C. Edwards, of Gordonsville,